Abstract

The aim of this work is to create thematic maps according to the symbol legends suggestions made by inquired users. The introduction is devoted to creation of the symbol legend, map language and its constituent aspects. The part of the work consists of the introduction to the problems of sociological research and example of usage its methods by the study of opinions and suggestions of their users. The work talks about the procedure of creation of symbol legends designed by their users in FontCreator 5.6, Adobe Illustrator CS2 and Adobe Photoshop CS2 software. Mutual assessment of three designed symbol set with other maps appears as the outcome of the work. In the final discussion are mentioned concrete advantages and disadvantages of symbol legends designed by their users and the outcome of the work has been assessed according to their further usage in the environment of the geoinformation systems.